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SUBJECT: APPARENT ERRORS AND ANOMOLIES IN THE U.S.
TARIFF OFFER

1. USMTN DELEGATION HAS BEEN ASKED BY NUMEROUS OTHER
DELEGATIONS ABOUT (OR HAS ITSELF NOTED) APPARENT ERRORS
AND ANOMOLIES IN PARTICULAR TARIFF LINES IN THE U.S.
OFFER. STR'S GUIDANCE IS REQUESTED IN RESPONDING TO
AND CORRECTING, WHERE NECESSARY, THE U.S. OFFER. THESE
QUESTIONS FOLLOW BELOW. A SEPTTEL COVERS MORE GENERAL
QUESTIONS ON THE U.S. TARIFF OFFER.

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2. TSUS DESCRIPTION PROBLEM

100.50 DAIRY COWS NO OFFER ALTHOUGH CANADA
- REQUESTED IT, NO SYMBOL
- EXPLAINING

359.50 FABRICS, NSPF, OFFER GREATER THAN 60

OF MANMADE FIBERS PERCENT, EXCEEDS TA
- AUTHORITY

363.10 WOOL BLANKETS, OFFER GREATER THAN 60
ORNAMENTED PERCENT, EXCEEDS TA
- AUTHORITY

363.70 WOOL BLANKETS, OFFER GREATER THAN 60
NOT ORNAMENTED PERCENT, EXCEEDS TA
- AUTHORITY

367.60 FURNISHINGS, NSPF, OFFER IS LESS-THAN-
MANMADE FIBERS FORMULA CUT, BUT
- NOTED "F"

370.04 COTTON LACE HAND- OFFER RATE EXCEEDS
KERCHIEFS CURRENT RATE

370.17 LACE HANDKERCHIEFS, OFFER RATE EXCEEDS
OVF CURRENT RATE

389.20 ARTICLES, NSPF, OF OFFER BASED ON FORMULA
SILK, PILE OR CUT, BUT NOTED "G"
TUFTED

425.20 CERTAIN MONOAMINES CURRENT RATE IS 5 PER
- CENT AD VAL, BUT '76
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- AVE IS 6.4 PERCENT

493.68 POLYSACCHARIDES, CURRENT RATE IS 10 PER
NSPF CENT AD VAL, BUT '76
- AVE IS 10.2 PERCENT

652.24 CERTAIN CHAINS OFFER SHOWS NO REDUC-
- TION, BUT NOTED "F"

676.20 CALCULATING OFFER SHOWS DUTY
MACHINES ELIMINATION, BUT
- NOTED "F"

748.25 CUT FLOWERS OFFER CODE IS "A," BUT
- PROBABLY SHOULD BE "AC"
- SINCE OFFER RATE IS SAME
- AS '76 AVE AND COMMENT
- IS "NOT REQUESTED"

3. WATCHES CLASSIFIED IN TSUS ITEMS 716.10 THROUGH
719.36 HAVE PROVISIONS FOR CONVENTIONAL WATCHES AND
ELECTRONIC WATCHES. IT IS THE DELEGATION'S UNDERSTAND-

ING THAT ELECTRONIC WATCH MOVEMENTS HAVE NO JEWELS AND
NO ADJUSTMENTS, INDICATING THAT NO ELECTRONIC WATCHES
WOULD BE IMPORTED UNDER TSUS ITEMS 716.20 THROUGH 719.36.

4. IN ADDITION TO RESPONSES TO THE ABOVE DISCREPANCIES,
WE WOULD APPRECIATE A LIST OF ANY OTHER CORRECTIONS YOU
MAY HAVE MADE IN THE OFFER. DRAFTED BY CASSIDY AND
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